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Part B for Jan, 41.

SUBJECT.

Continuance of Census Taking to the Final Stage

D.O. No. 5409—1/ 19.12.40

To, The Census Supdt.,

Sanctions ——

WD 0573—GPB—22,500—12-9-39

Continuance or otherwise of the work of

2450 Tabulation and Compilation of Census figures

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Serial No.

From the Census Supdt in Mysore
No. 8350 dated 22nd November 1940.
States that he understands from the Census
Commr for Baroda that the Govt of India may not
proceed with the work of Tabulation and Compilation
of Census figures etc. that he has also addressed the
Census Commr for India on the subject. And that
it would be an advantage if the Census operations
are continued to the final stage of Tabulation and
writing the report irrespective of the decision of the
Govt of India.

It is argued by the Census Supdt that the
net saving if we stop the work in the middle will be
about Rs 80,000/-; The total expenditure on account
of the Census in 1931 did not exceed two lakhs.
and if the work is stopped in the middle, the cost including
printing would amount to Rs 1,20,000/-

2. The arguments put forth by the Census Supdt
in favour of the continuance of the work to completion
are contained in the 2nd para of the D.O. He has
also stated that the Census Commr for India has
already indicated that Indian States which conduct
their own Census work will be at liberty to decide whether
they will proceed to tabulation or not.

3. Submitted for orders. Perhaps we may wait
till the Census Supdt addresses Govt again after hearing

Continuance or otherwise of the work of
and tabulation of Census figures.

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the Census Commr for India whom he has
issued on the subject

27/11/40 4) The Census Supdt's proposal
in para 2 of this letter is
for approval, with financial
concurrence.

by 29/11 5) The Centre Supdt may perhaps be
informed that the Central Government's reply
to his letter of 22-11-40 will be awaited.

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OFFICE OF THE SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL
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From the Census Comm
No 8577 dated 6-12-40.
Forwards extracts from the letter of the Cens Commr for India in the matter.

1) Reference is invited to the portion marked A in the P.U.O - viz the extract of the Census Comm's letter, from which it will be seen that the decision on the matter will be taken by the new year and that the Govt of India Budget will be so prepared as to meet both Contingencies. ie. the British India Suptds have been instructed to prepare budgets on two Supposition. a) for closing down after Enumeration and b) for going through the full Course.

10) The Census Comm has also pointed out the utility of a tabulation record of the State later on. and He has also stated that the State Conducts its own Operations from beginning to end and that the decision of the Govt of India re: tabulation is in no way binding on the State.

11) The Census Suptd refers also to the Travancore State having provided necessary funds for the Tabulation Office

12) In the above circumstances, the proposal of the Census Suptd to Continue the Census Operations to the final stage of tabulation And writing up the Report (referred to in his original letter (para 2) No. 8350 dated 22/11/40) irrespective of the decision of the Govt of India is for Orders. It would perhaps be worth while to follow the above suggestions particularly in view of the fact that at the next Census; Several States has

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Continuance or Otherwise of the work of Compilation and Tabulation of Census figures.

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Special Industrial Census, Cattle Census, fertility statistics Census of Beggars etc. are proposed to be collected with a view to take action in the matter later on.

13) Submitted for Orders. Financial Concurrence is necessary, as necessary provision will have to be made for the expenditure in Connection with Tabulation, abstraction etc.

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14) The Census Supdt proposed to continue the operations to completion irrespective of the decision the G. of I. might take may be expressed.

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15) AS 14/12/40 JL 14/12

Ce 14/XII 40

16) MLL 17/12/40

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17) Submitted with a draft letter to the Census Supdt

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18) Sine 19/12

No. 5489 dated 19.12.40 S

To The Census Supdt in Mysore

States that Govt approve of the proposal to Continue the Census operations to the final stage irrespective of the decision of the Govt of India in the matte

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(X) Finance file No. 2794

(X) In his letter No. 8704 dated 12 the Census Supdt reports the Census operations will continued to the final stage of enumeration etc. in Hyderabad and the expenditure has already been budgetted by that G as stated by the Census Commissioner, Hyderabad

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FINANCIAL SECRETARIAT U.O.No.Fi. 2902 12.

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Continuance or otherwise of the work of Tabulation of Census figures at the final stage

General and Revenue Secretariat | Census File No. 37 of 1940. 2799 to 2854 [App. F. III-2

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6	From the Census Supdt in Mysore No. 8908 dated 17.12.40. Forwards a letter from the Census Commr Baroda, on the above subject. (19) The Census Commr, Baroda, States that if Govt of India drop the further stages after enumeration, they (Baroda Govt) will also follow the same. (20) Submitted with reference to paras 14-16. Containing the decision of this Govt (Mysore) to continue to the final stage irrespective of the decision of the Govt of India BRS 19/12 Dept Secretariat 19/12 Dept Secy) 2nd. asst) (21) C.C.J suggests May be Ce 26/12/40 Eclipsed

Continuance of the Censuss Operations to the final stage of Tabulation & Writing up the report.

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Reference is invited to the Census Supdt's letter dated 6/12/40 forwarding an extract from letter of the Census Commr for India.

(2) In the circumstances, it is for orders if the Orders already Communicated to the Census Supdt may Stand. It may be added that in pursuance of the letter dated 19.12.40, the Census Supdt has already submitted proposals for Estt for the Tabulation and Abstraction Office Resubmitted with reference to para 21 supra.

BRS 31/12 / 24/1-41 — for kind orders whether the orders already issued directing the continuance of the Census operations to the final stage, may stand, or the orders at paragraph 21 to discontinue the further stages as enumeration may be issued to the Census Supdt in modification

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by 2/1/41 (25) The decision of Govt already communicated in Simla's (our letter dated 19.12.40) may perhaps stand. The C.C.'s suggn amounts to asking that we proceed with tabulation in

Dear Secy Ind 2/1/41
2/1/41

Secd Member)

Recd orders from the Member that this is the suggestion of

Continuance of the Census operations to the Final Stage of Tabulation and writing up the Report.

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	the Census Comm of India that is to be accepted. For Reply may issue accdly Md 4/1/41
	Draft reply is submitted (as per instructions of the Dev. Secretary in person). BBS 9/1/41 9/1/41 10.1.41
7	No. G. 6048 dated 11.1.41 From The Secretary to the Hon'ble the Resident. In reference to letter No. 5489 dated 19/12/40 Conveying Approval of Govt to the Continuance of the Census operations irrespective of the decision of the Govt of India.

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OFFICE OF THE CENSUS SUPERINTENDENT IN MYSORE,

No. 9944 Enc. 1 Bangalore, Dated Bangalore, 20th January 1941

GOVT OF MYSORE

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 2 6974

FROM

P. H. KRISHNA RAO, ESQ., M.A.,
CENSUS SUPERINTENDENT IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

DEWAN'S OFFICE
23 JAN 1941
NO. 4842

To

M. Venkatesa Iyengar, ~~Esq., M.A.,~~
Secretary to Government,
Development Department, Bangalore.

Letter No.115/1-41 dated 10-1-41 from the Census Commissioner for India, New Delhi, to the Census Superintendent, in Mysore, Bangalore.

Many thanks for your D.O. telling me of your Government's decision to go on to tabulation whatever be the outcome of the Government of India's deliberations as regards British India procedure. I think they have taken the correct and the wise course and will be very glad they have done so. In the event of the Government of India taking the opposite decisio I imagine that they may come to regret it.

In any case, Mysore, not for the first time, will have given a lead to India.

2. I still await the Government of India's decision on the forms of tables. I have sorting instructions, tickets &c all ready in proof and as soon as the orders are received shall get these struck off and send you copies. I have reminded the Home Department again and hope to get this much-delayed matter disposed of soon.

3. In the event of there being no tabulation in British India the various Superintendents will probably remain on till the end of April winding up their offices and I shall be here till June. So I shall still be available for consultation till then.

4. I might even be able to pay my visit to Mysore, though such have been the vicissitudes of the past year that I do not like to say anything long in advance The ill-health that dogged me in 1940 from that very January when last we met in the South culminated in an emergent operation on 2nd December, 2½ weeks in hospital and a period of very quiet living thereafter. My December and early January tours were smashed.

So all over, it has not been an easy year. Yours news is one cheering item however, and I know that one part

of India at least will see the Census operations taken on their natural conclusion.

With all good wishes for 1941 and your Census activities.

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" C o p y "

ss/- Census Superintendent.

Census. 37-40-1 Gpm 2450

No. 8350
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OFFICE OF THE CENSUS SUPERINTENDENT
IN MYSORE,

Dated Bangalore, 22nd November..... *194* 0.

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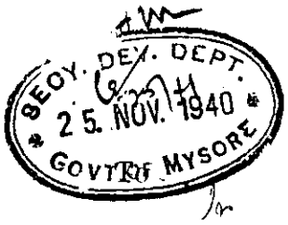

P. H. KRISHNA RAO, ESQ., M.A.,
CENSUS SUPERINTENDENT IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

Charles E Noronha, Esq., M.A.,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Bangalore.

SIR,

The Census Commissioner for Baroda writes to me that the Government of India may not proceed with the work of tabulation and compilation of Census figures, but may content themselves with merely compiling Provincial Totals by villages, showing the population by sex and religion and giving figures for literates, thus enabling the various Provincial Superintendents to close their Offices by 1st of April next. He desires to know whether in that event the census operations would be continued in this State. The Census Superintendent Madras also hints that it is not known what the Government of India's decision will be about Tabulation.

2. In this connection, I would say, that irrespective of the decision of the Government of India, it would be an advantage if the Census operations are continued to the final stage of tabulation and writing the report. The total expenditure on the Census did not exceed two lakhs in 1931 and it is not likely to exceed that figure in this Census. Even if we stop the work in the middle, the cost will have amounted to a lakh and ten thousand and the cost of printing even the provisional figures would amount to another ten thousand. The

The stopping of the Census operations would result only in a saving of the balance of Rs.80,000/-. On the other hand much valuable information that is now being collected would not be sifted and would not be available either to the publi or to the administration in a classified and assimilable for One of the interesting features of the present Census is to ascertain and exhibit the phenomenal progress in industrial occupations made by the State during the last two decades. It would not be possible to publish even these figures witho compiling the occupation table which is the most elaborate among the Census Tables.

3. I have brought these facts to the notice of Government though I have not heard officially from the Census Commissioner for India, so that there may be time to consider what decision should be arrived at when the question formally comes up for decision. A copy of my letter to the Census Commissioner for India is also enclosed for informatio He has already indicated that Indian States which conduct the wn Census remain at liberty to decide whether they will proc o tabulation or not.

Confidential D.O.letter No;8337 dated 22nd November 1940 from the Census Superintendent in Mysore, Bangalore to the Census Commissioner for India, New Delhi.

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I understand from third parties that the Government of India have not yet decided whether to proceed with the tabulation and compilation of Census figures or to content themselves with merely compiling Provisional totals by villages showing population by sex and religion and giving figures for literates, so that the various Provincial Census Superintendents may close their Offices by 1st April next. I request to be kindly informed whether there is any basis for such reports so that I may keep my Government informed and enable them to come to a decision whether they would like to proceed to tabulation irrespective of the action of the Government of India as indicated by you in para 2 of VIII - Tabulation - Page 10 of Part II of the General Scheme for the Census dated 8th June 1940.

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Date of issue 9/12/40

Signed by Mr. C.S.S.C

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Serial No. 2

No. G. 5070.

To

The Census Superintendent
in mysore

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 8350 dated 22.11.40 in regard to the question of proceeding with the Tabula and Compilation of Census figures o otherwise, I am directed to state that the reply of the Census Commr for India to your letter dated 22/11/40 may be awaited and a further Communica ~~made~~ on receipt of the same.

I have etc.

for Secretary to Govt
Dev Depot

BRS 5/12/40.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE (5

General and Revenue Secretariat

No. *Bangalore, dated* .....December...1940.

FROM

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.
Development Department.

To

The Census Superintendent
Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.8350 dated 22nd November 1940 in regard to the question of proceeding with the tabulation and compilation of Census figures or otherwise I am directed to state that the reply of the Census Commissioner for India to your letter dated 22nd November 1940 may be awaited and a further communication sent on receipt of the same.

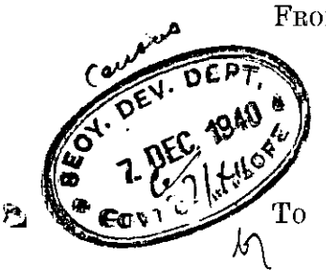
I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

IN MYSORE,

Dated Bangalore, 6th December, ... *1940*

FROM



P. H. KRISHNA RAO, ESQ., M.A.,
CENSUS SUPERINTENDENT IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

To

Charles E Noronha, Esq., M.A.,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Bangalore.

SIR,

In continuation of my letter No:8350 dated 21st November 1940 in the matter of this State proceeding to Tabulation irrespective of the decision of the Government of India, I have the honour to forward herewith, for the information of Government, Extracts from the letter of the Census Commissioner for India in reply to my letter:-

> "The exact position is that the decision of the Government of India in the matter of tabulation was left to the present budget season and therefore I instructed British India Superintendents to put in budgets on two suppositions (a) for closing down after enumeration (b) for going the full course. The decision will probably be taken by the new year.
>
> The Government of India's decision on tabulation is in no way binding on a State which conducts its own operations from beginning to end. Moreover if All-India tabulation does not go on, the existence of a tabulation record in important areas like your own State might prove of the greatest value later on".

The Census Commissioner for the Travancore State writes they have provided necessary funds for the tabulation ~~be~~ for this financial year in the Census Budget.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

K.S.

CENSUS SUPERINTENDENT.

8704

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OFFICE OF THE CENSUS SUPERINTENDENT IN MYSORE,
(Camp Mysore)

SECY. DEV. DEPT. 13 DEC. 1940 GOVT. OF MYSORE

Dated Bangalore, the 12th Decr., 1940.

From

P.H.Krishna Rao, Esq., M.A.,
Census Superintendent in Mysore,
Bangalore.

To

Charles E Noronha, Esq.,M.A.,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Bangalore.

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No: 8577 dated 6-12-40 in the matter of continuing the census operations to the final stage of tabulation and the writing of the report, I have the honour to forward herewith, for the information of Government, copy of a D.O.letter No:2055 dated the 7th December 1940 received from the Census Commissioner, Hyderabad.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Census Superintendent.

Confidential.

D.O.letter No:2055 dated 7th December 1940
from the Census Commissioner, Hyderabad.

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Your Confidential letter No: 8414-16 dated 24-11-40.

A similar letter was addressed to me by C.C. Baroda, whereupon the matter was referred to C.C.I. He maintains: "....that the Government of India's decision on tabulation is in no way necessarily binding on a State like Hyderabad which conducts its own operations from beginning to end. Moreover, if all-India tabulation does not go on, the existence of tabulation record in important areas like your own State might prove of the greatest value later on".

The expenditure has already been budgetted by my Government, and the detailed scheme is awaiting Government's sanction.

Therefore, I hope to continue the Census operations to the final stage of tabulation and the writing of report.

"Copy"

Census Superintendent.

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File No. 37-40

Serial No. 5

Diary No. of letter replied to.....

No. G.5489

To

General and Revenue Secretariat

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The Census Superintendent in mysore

Sir

Date of issue 12/12/40

With reference to the Correspondence

Signed by MMC 55-C

ending with your letter No. 8704 dated 12/12/40 stating that preparations are being made in the Taluk offices for the commencement of the Census Operations, I am directed to state that the Census are continued to the final stage of tabulation and writing of the report, Govt approve of the above proposal.

I have etc.

for Secretary to Govt

Rev Depot

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BRS 17/12

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE

General and Revenue Secretariat

No. G. 5489 / Census 37-40-5. *Bangalore, dated* 19:12:40

FROM

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.
Development Department.

To

The Census Superintendent in Mysore,

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No.8704 dated the 12th December 1940 stating that irrespective of the decision of the Government of India, it would be an advantage if the Census operations are continued to the final stage of tabulation and writing the report, I am directed to state that Government approve of the above proposal.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Secretary to Government
Development Department.

IN MYSORE. (17

SECY. DEV. DEPT. 17 DEC. 1940 GOVT OF MYSORE

Dated Bangalore, 17th December *1940*

FROM

P. H. KRISHNA RAO, ESQ., M.A.,
CENSUS SUPERINTENDENT IN MYSORE,
BANGALORE.

To

Charles E Noronha, Esq., M.A.,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Bangalore.

SIR,

Subject: In the matter of Indian States proceeding to tabulation.

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In continuation of my letter No: 8704 dated (Camp Mysore) 12th/13th December 1940, I have the honour to forward herewith for the information of Government a copy of D.O. letter dated 7th December 1940 received from the Census Commissioner, Baroda on the above subject.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Census Superintendent.

Strictly confidential.

D.O. letter dated 7th December 1940 from the Census Commissioner, Baroda, to the Census Superintendent in Mys Bangalore.

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Thanks for your letter No: 8404 of the 24th November

I have not made any proposals to my Government as ye I should be glad if you can kindly let me know the decisi of your Government on this point. I have informally spoken however to my Dewan, and it appears that if Govern ment of India drop further stages after enumeration, we shall do the same.

GOVERNMENT OF HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE.

General and Revenue Secretariat.

6048/Cens 37-40-7 *Bangalore, dated* 11th January 1941.

The Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore.

Development Department.

The Census Superintendent,
Bangalore.

With reference to your letter No.8908 dated the 17th December 1940 in the matter of Indian States proceeding to tabulation, I am directed to invite kind reference to this office letter No.5489 dated 19th December 1940 conveying the approval of Government to the continuance ~~of~~ in our State of the Census operations to the final stage irrespective of the decision of the Government of India in the matter.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

M C Subba Rao

For Secretary to Government,
Development Department.

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Signed by Mr. M.C.S.R.

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Serial No. 7

No. G. 6048.

To

The Census Superintendent.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 8908 ⊗ dated the 17th Dec. 1940 in the matter of Indian States proceeding to Tabulation, I am directed to invite kind reference to this Office letter No. 5489 dated 19.12.40th Conveying the approval of Govt to the continuance in our State, of the Census operations to the final stage irrespective of the decision of the Govt of India in the matter.

I have etc

Secretary to Govt

Dc. Dec 41

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